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do hereby declare that I am conversant with the English and German languages and am a competent translator thereof. I further declare that to the best of my knowledge and belief the following is a true and correct translation of the text of the description, claims and abstract of the above application as filed in German on

with the US PTO.

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Signed this ... 9h. ... day of March 2000